Tilden's Strength. A potent argument in his favor, adduced by Mr. TILDEN's friends, is the almost positive certainty that he could get the large electoral vote of the State of New York. Time and again have they offered this reason for his nomination at St. Louis. See how tempting is the bait. The southern States. omitting South Carolina, and including Riggs, M. A.; "Prepossessions for and West Virginia, Maryland, and Delaware, cast 130 votes. California, Connecticut, and Carpenter, by James McCosh, LL. D.; Oregon, cast 15. That makes 145. Only "Lectures in Electricity," by John Tyndall, 185 votes are necessary to an election. So F. R. S.; "Recent Geographical Progress," that 40 more votes will elect the Presi- by Chief-Justice Daly; "The Mollusks of dent. These 40 New York and New the Rocky Mountains," by Ernest Ingersoll; Jersey would almost surely give to TILDEN, New York having 35 and New Jersey 9.

It will be seen that Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, election would relieve them from Radical- Table," and "Miscellany." ism, carpet-bagism, and scalawagism, and Mr. Spencen's article is tinged with the Louis. We have ourselves not been par- PLETON & Co., publishers, New York. ticularly anxious to see TILDEN nominated. On the contrary, we have been rather inclined to think that he ought not to be so favored by the party. But we cannot shut our eyes either to the plausible view of the case which his friends take or to the desirableness of having him for President rather than the best of the Republican aspirants.

But TILDEN'S strong point may prove to be his weak one. The very facts which we have recited, and which tell so strongly in his favor, may have the effect of uniting his rivals in the Democratic party as against him. Why should New York vote for him and not for BAYARD or THURMAN? Either of them is as decided a hard-money man as TILDEN, and either is as pure in life and spotless in reputation. No good reason can be given; and the other States, which in 1868 and 1872 gave up to New York and nominated her sons for President, will think twice before yielding a third time without a Elder J. A. DEARBORN will preach SUNDAY at 11

The Philadelphia Press must know that if there is any prosperity in the South it has come to us not in consequence, but in spite, of the legislation of the Republican party. If the negroes have not destroyed if there is any prosperity in the South it party. If the negroes have not destroyed all of our property and made our native States too hot to hold us, it is not because the Republican majority in Congress did not do all they could to bring about this state MASONIC NOTICE.—The stated of things. The kuklux acts, the enforcement acts, and the reconstruction acts, stand upon the statute-books as enduring memorials of Radical malignity, cowardice, and narrow-mindedness. They testify that the party which a four-years' war had cast up to the surface, and which returning peace found in power, was made up principally of fanatics and knaves. Not a statesman has made his appearance amongst them.

If there had been in power when the war at 6 o'clock P. M.

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B. C. WHERRY, JR., as 7 o'clock P. M. pally of fanatics and knaves. Not a statesclosed, an Administration of statesmen, the ap 28-td South would to-day have been the most prosperous community in the world, and the northern States, instead of being overrun by paupers and tramps, and in a condition of constant apprehension of panics and failures, would have been sharing our prosperity. The miserable fanatics and designing knaves, however—the "cankers of a long" war—had it all their own way. Statesmen and statesmanship belong not to Statesmen and statesmanship belong not to Statesmen and statesmanship belong not to No. 1008 Main street.

JAMES H. GARDNER, Secretary. grace upon this once favored land.

LARGE METEORIC STONES .- The Philadelphia Press publishes a letter from Chihuahua, Mexico, which states that a citizen of that country has shipped to the Centennial an aerolite of about a ton's weight. The

"There are several other remarkable aerolites in Mexico, perhaps as many as five, within a range of sixty or seventy miles, but the largest, and perhaps the largest known in the world, is in the State of Chihuahua, in the desert near to Parral, of immense size and weight, not less, it is supposed, than fifty tons."

That holds out a fine prospect for people living in such a country. An aerolite weighing a ton we could stand, so to speak, but one weighing fifty tons outsizes our credulity. We don't want to believe any such stories. To be told that such visitors from the upper air are liable at any time to from the upper air are liable at any time to fall upon our heads is not pleasant. It is suggestive not merely of broken crowns, but of a living burial. For our part, we but of a living burial. For our part, we but of a living burial. For our part, we yon't believe any such yarns.

BONAMY PRICE'S book on Currency and Banking is well worth reading. There is tion of PROFESSOR T. J. MINOR, will take place no elegance in its style. It surprises us to at St. Alban's Hall to see how awkwardiy an Oxford professor can write. But there is in it something better than rounded periods. He tells what he knows in clear, unmistakable language. If you want to find out all about the Bank of England PRICE will tell you. He discusses the bank-charter act of 1844, concerning which there has been so much dispute amongst the statesmen and financiers of the United States. He explains how the notes of the Bank of England are put out and how redeemed. He tells upon what basis these notes rest. In a word, Mr. PRICE, who is professor of Political Economy, seems to be thoroughly at home in this department of his work.

ALDERMEN .- It seems to be supposed that it is not necessary to nominate any candithe candidates receiving at the primary election the greatest number of votes for councilmen will be considered the nominees for the upper branch. We do not so understand the matter. The tickets prepared by the City Committee will no doubt have separate benefits as a part of the committee will no doubt have separate benefits as a supply compensated.

COMMENCING AT 12 O'CLOCK M.

Speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. No speaking allowed after 5 P. M.: after which time dancing will commence at 2 o'clock rate headings and the names of different candidates for the two branches.

ister, BELKNAP as secretary of legation, and BABCOCK as assistant to the latter. Mr. Conway also says that Professor Hux-LEY has told him that he has made definite arrangements to visit the United States this

year in August.

A supplement of two pages goes out with to-day's Dispatch. It contains some very

The Popular Science Monthly for May contains the following articles: "Society and Organism," by Herbert Spencer; "Hammers and Percussion," by the Rev. Arthur against the Supernatural," a criticism of Dr. "Character and Work of Liebig," by J. L. W. Thudichum, M. D.; "Caroline Lucretia Herschel," by Eliza A. Youmans; "Awards CLAY WARD. Pennsylvania, and all the rest of the doubt- at the International Exhibition," report of ful States, and also the States decidedly Re- Hon. N. M. Beckwith; "Recent Advances in publican, are omitted from this calculation, Telegraphy," by R. Riordan; "Conscience which thus presents the case in the most in Animals," by G. J. Romanes, M. A. F. favorable light for TILDEN. It is assumed L. S.; "Air-Germs and Spontaneous Genein making this calculation that the southern ration," by P. Schutzenberger; "Sketch of States will vote for any candidate whose Dr. Austin Flint, Jr.,"; "The Editor's

this assumption is not at all unreasonable. It one idea which may be seen in so many of is hardly too much to take it for granted his works. "Evolution" or "Developthat every one of the southern States except | ment" he sees everywhere. He has influ-South Carolina would cast its vote for Til- enced the opinions of the world in a won-DEN and hard money, or for ALLEN and derful degree. Mr. ROMANES's article on greenbacks, or for HANCOCK, or THURMAN, "Conscience in Animals" is based upon or HENDRICKS, or any other Democrat. The the same notion. He says in so many words overruling consideration with us is to get that the doctrine of "evolution" is accepted rid of a political incubus. So that there by all men but the ignorant and the prejuseems to be lacking no element of proba- diced. Miss Youmans's review of the bility in the calculation made by the friends diary or autobiography of CAROLINE of Mr. TILDEN. He can carry New York, LUCRETIA HERSCHEL is highly interesting. New Jersey, Connecticut, California, and It gives us an insight into the life that was Oregon, because he is a hard-money man and led by her distinguished brother, which a Reformer. He can secure 130 electoral cannot but modify our guesses or supposivotes in the South without reference to his tions in regard to that great man's origin opinions on financial questions. This would and subsequent surroundings. Dr. Mcelect him. Why should he not be nomi- Cosa, Professor Tyndall, and other distinnated? These considerations will tell with guished writers, make up the list of contripowerful effect upon the delegates to St. butors to this No. of the Monthly. D. Ar-

MARRIAGES.

Married, in this city, Thursday evening, April 27th, 1876, at the residence of Rev. Father T. J. Kelly Father Kelly officiating), Mr. WILLIAM H. MUL-EN, formerly of Fredericksburg, Va., to Miss KA-FIE McDONOUGH, of this city. Fredericksburg papers please copy.

Married, on April 20th, at the residence of M. C. Lemore, Esq., Galveston, Texas, by the Rev. S. Bird, GEORGE E. MANN (late of Gloucester unty, Va.,) and Mrs. GRACE SCOTT. No cards.

DEATHS.

Died, on Saturday morning, April 29, 1876, at 5 clock, KATE ARMSTRONG, infant child of John , and Clara A. Shafer; aged three months and The funeral was announced to take place from her father's residence on SUNDAY, April 30th, at 5 o'clock P. M. Friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend.

Died, in New York, Wednesday night, SOLOMON DAVIS, formerly of this city, in his fifty-eighth year. His remains arrived here on the Fredericksburg train at 1:35 P. M. on Sunday, and were interred in

MAIN-STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH (between Pine and Laurel streets) .o'clock A. M. and 8 P. M.

MEETINGS.

o'clock.
All Royal Arch Masons in good standing are fra-ternally invited to attend.
By order of the M. E. H. P.
my 1-1t*
S. B. JACOBS, Secretary.

communication of HENRICO UNION
LODGE, No. 130, will take place THIS
EVENING at 7 o'clock, at Mason's Hall, on Twenty-fifth street. By order of the W. M.
WILLIAM WILSON, Secretary.
MAY 1, A. L. 5876, A. D. 1876. my 1-11* DOLITICAL NOTICE.—The members of "Clay Ward Conservative Reform Club" are requested to meet at their rooms, over Walker's drug-store, near Westham House, on MONDAY NIGHT

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE

at 8 o'clock promptly.

OFFICE OF THE VIRGINIA PROTECTION LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,
RICHMOND, April 25, 1876. THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE 1 STOCKHOLDERS of the VIRGINIA PRO-TECTION LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY will be held at the company's office on TUESDAY, May 9th, at 8 o'clock P. M. H. H. WILKINSON, ap 26-td Secretary.

ap 25,26,27,28,29&Mv1&2

MILITARY NOTICES.

HEADQUARTERS RICHMOND HOWITZERS, RICHMOND, VA., May 1, 1876. A TTENTION, HOWITZERS.—

A Assemble at armory TO-NIGHT at 85 o'clock in full-dress uniform, with fatigue cap and side-arms. By order H. C. CARTER, Captain, my 1-1t Orderly Sergeant.

AMUSEMENTS. FOURTH ANNUAL MAY BALL 23 FLORAL FESTIVAL PROFESSOR HENRY F. LAUBE'S

DANCING ACADEMIES AT LEVY'S HALL,

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 4TH, 1876, AT S:30 O'CLOCK P. M.

Desiring to make this my fourth annual exhibi-tion surpass any of the kind ever given in this city, I have spared neither trouble nor expense to ac-complish this purpose. I have assiduously studied the advancement of my pupils and the interest of

GRAND MAY BALL AT ST. ALBAN'S HALL. The first ANNUAL MAY BALL, under the direc-

TUESDAY EVENING, May 2d, instant. Cards of admission can be had of Professor Minor or any of his scholars.

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL MAY 23 BALL,

and the first given in Richmond by Professor M. V. B. FRANCK, will take place at his Dancing Academy (Monticello Hall) on MONDAY EVENING, MAY 1ST, 1876. Cards of admission are limited to one hundred, and can be had of Professor FRANCK or his pupils. Music by Professor Volker's Band.

PIC-NIC.

THE GERMAN POLITICAL CLUBS OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND

will have, on TUESDAY, May 2, 1876, A GRAND PIC-NIC AT THE PARK OF THE JAMES RIVER STEAM-

ENTERTAINMENT. Moncure D. Conway, in his last London letter to the Cincinnati Commercial, suggests that it might be well for Grant to be represented in England by Schenck as Min-

CANDIDATES POR OFFICE. TO MANY VOTERS OF CLAY WARD:

The gentlemen. In answer to your call to announce

myself a candidate for re-election to the CITY

COUNCIL from Clay Ward I can only say I have no myself a candidate for re-election to the CATY COUNCIL from Clay Ward I can only say I have no aspirations for office of any kind, and had hoped some more efficient representative might be selected to represent you in my place at this election. If you are satisfied, and think proper to re-elect me (although personally quite an inconvenience in a business view, in the consumption of time), I will serve you and the interest of the city in what I conceive to be just and right to the best of my humble ability.

Subject to the decision of the primary election.

Respectfully, ROBERT W. OLIVER.

my 1-1t*

TAMES M. TALBOTT, Esq., will be supported for the

COMMON COUNCIL VOTERS OF MADISON WARD. [my 1-1t*] AT THE SOLICITATION OF MANY A VOTERS I hereby announce myself a candidate for the CITY COUNCIL from Clay Ward, subject to the decision of the primary election. my 1-1t* W. A. S. CONRAD.

ONE MORE CANDIDATE FOR THE Office of CITY SERGEANT, or a POSITION IN SOME GENTEEL BUSINESS at a reasonable salary. Vote one, vote all, for my 1-11*

FOR ALDERMAN: CLEMENT R. BARKSDALE. FOR THE COUNCIL: JOSEPH R. ANDERSON, GEORGE L. CHRISTIAN, A. HEIRHOLZER, LEROY S. EDWARDS, DON P. HALSEY.

The above ticket will be supported by MANY VOTERS. CARD.-For reasons satisfactory to A myself I am no longer a candidate for the CHANCERY COURT CLERKSHIP. I return my ROBERT D. WARD.

B. MOORE will not be a candidate A. for the City Council in Jefferson Ward.
my 1-1t*
A. B. MOORE.

FOR MAYOR, FOR MAYOR,

G. DABNEY WOOTTON,

subject to choice of primary election.

At the request of "legions" I announce myself a candidate for MAYOR. Fellow-citizens, I run on my merit. I have nothing to say for or against my opponents, who have great advantages over me—wealth and friends to carry their banner. In justice I appeal to you for help at the polls. Do not let dishonest hirelings influence you against me. I am a friend to the working class—for raising their wages, for reduction of taxes, for reduction of rents, for credit to the poor, for home manufactures, for reduction of many offices, for inutual protection, justice, and good to all. Vote for G. DABNEY WOOTTON.

FOR CITY SERGEANT,

subject to the decision of the primary election? [my 1-5t]

FOR COMMON COUNCIL FROM JEFFERSON WARD, JAMES W. SHIELDS,

subject to decision of the primary election

TAMES W. GIBBONS IS A CANDI-DATE FOR HIGH-CONSTABLE,

subject to the decision of the Conservative primary

THANKING MY FRIENDS FOR THEIR Council from Madison Ward.

MARSHALL WARD. MARSHALL WARD.

CITY COUNCIL.

In response to the call made upon me in yesterday's papers, over the signature of "Many Property-holders of Marshall Ward," I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the CITY COUNCIL, from that ward. I am highly gratified at the unqualified endorsement contained in that card of my previous course in the Council, and if it shall please my fellow-cittzens at the coming election to give me the renewed evidence of their confidence, I shall serve them in the future with the same zeal and fidelity which I have shown in guarding their interfidelity which I have shown in guarding their interests during the past five years. I submit my claims, of course, to the decision of I submit my craims, or the Conservative primary election.
H. METZGER. Respectfully, my 1-1t

HENRY METZGER

is a candidate for re-election to the CITY COUN-CIL from Madison Ward, subject to the decision of

the people at the primary election. TO THE VOTERS OF CLAY WARD.

A By special request of some of my friends I an-nounce myself as a candidate for the CITY COUN-CIL, subject to the primary election. my 1-eod3t* CHARLES Y. MORRISS. my 1-eod3t* MADISON WARD.

> COLONEL L. J. BEALL. COUNCIL:

ALDERMAN:

CHARLES T. DAVIS, JOHN H. GUY, THOMAS J. STARKE, GEORGE KLEIN, ISAAC DAVENPORT, JR. JUSTICES OF THE PEACE:

WILLIAM K. WATTS, M. T. CLARKE, JAMES D. BROWNE. FOR HIGH-CONSTABLE.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF RICH-MOND:

We, the undersigned, real estate agents in the city

We, the undersigned, real estate agents in the circ of Richmond, have had numerous, and some of us dimost daily, transactions through and with Mr. A B. DUESBERRY, the present High-Constable of the city, and cheerfully certify to the faithful and effi-cient manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office, and especially to the promptness with which he has paid over all moneys collected by him.

The office of High-Constable in this city has not been, in our judgment, conducted for many years with such entire satisfaction and fidelity to all constants by the second control of the constant of the satisfaction and fidelity to all constants of the second control of the satisfaction and fidelity to all constants. cerned as by the present incumbent, and we earn-estly recommend him to the voters of the city for WELLINGTON GODDIN,

[Signed] Wellington Goddin,
Goddin, Warren & Co., E. A. J. Clopton,
LILL & Goddin, J. L. Apperson,
L. Thompson Brown, J. S. M. Taylor & Son,
D. R. L. NE. R. B. LYNE. E. C. GODDIN,
GEO. H. POINDEXTER,
GEO. S. VASHON & SON,
W. B. ROBINS,
EDWARD S. ROSE,
FRANK T. SUTTON,
RICHARDSON & MY 1-M, RICHARDSON & CO. my 1-M,W,F3t

MARSHALL WARD.

At the solicitation of many voiers of the above ward I hereby announce myself a CANDIDATE FOR THE COMMON COUNCIL, subject to the FOR THE COMMON decision of the primary election.
O. P. GREGORY. MR. JOHN H. DICKERSON.

We respectfully request that you allow your name to be used at the primary election as a candidate for COUNCILMAN from Jefferson Ward.

my 1-1t*

MANY VOTERS.

COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY. F. CARRINGTON CABELL is a candidate for re-election.

[my 1-4t*] RICHMOND, April 28, 1876. JOHN LAUER, Esq.: Dear Sir,—We earnestly request that that you will allow your name to be used for re-election to the COMMON COUNCIL at the ensuing primary election. We can truly say, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant." CONSERVATIVES OF CLAY WARD. ap 29-21*

ap 29-2t* JOSEPH F. POWELL, Esq.: We, the voters of Clay Ward, desirous of having practical, common-sense men to represent us in the City Council, call on you to announce yourself as a candidate for the COMMON COUNCIL.

ap 29-21*

MANY VOTERS.

A T THE SOLICITATION OF MANY VOTERS I hereby announce myself a candidate for the CITY COUNCIL from Marshall Ward, subject to the decision of the primary election.

LEMUEL POWERS. TO "MANY VOTERS," JEFFERSON NARD: Gentlemen,—In reply to your call to announce myself a candidate for the UITY COUNCIL from Jefferson Ward I hereby comply, and authorize the use of my name for nomination at the primary election. In doing so, however, I hope I am not moved by any desire for public notoriety. If I can do any good in advancing the interests of our city, and particularly of our ward, I will consider any reasonable sacrifice of my private interests as amply compensated for. interests as amply compensated for.

Respectfully,

R. H. WHITLOCK.

T RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE MY-

HIGH CONSTABLE, subject to the Conservative primary election.

A. W. ROSENE. TO THE VOTERS OF MARSHALL WARD.—Thereby announce myself a candidate for election to the CITY COUNCIL for Marshall Ward, subject to the decision of the voters of the Conservative party at the primary election. ap 27-tMy5 W. A. BOSWELL.

CATDIDATES FOR OFFICE. THE MAYORALTY. Subject to the choice of my fellow-citizens at the primary election ordered by the City Central Committee of the
Conservative party, I am a candidate for the office of
MAYOR of Richmond.

A. M. KEILEY.

ap 14.24 say WAS. ap 14-StawtMy5

W. C. CARRINGTON IS A CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR Conservative party; then he is a voter for all its

FOR CITY SERGEANT, P. T. MOORE,

subject to decision of primary election. ap 24-td GEORGE A. HUNDLEY

is a candidate for CITY SERGEANT subject to the decision of the primary election.

LOR CITY SERGEANT,

JOHN W. WRIGHT.

Subject to the decision of the primary election. [ap 14-tMy5]

LOR CITY SERGEANT. I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the offic of SERGEANT OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND—subject to the primary elec-

ap 14-td FOR CITY SERGEANT. L. WAGNER is a candidate, subject to primary election, and respectfully solicits the support of our

citizens. FOR CITY SERGEANT,

subject to decision of primary election. [ap 15-3w] FOR CITY AUDITOR, subject to the coming primary election. I am again a candidate for the position of AUDITOR, and solicit the sup-

JAMES M. TYLER,

port of my friends and fellow-citizens. ap 24-tMy5* LOR CITY TREASURER.

I am again a candidate for re-election to the post of TREASURER OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND, subject to the vote at the primary election, and respectfully solicit the support of my friends and fellow-citizens. [ap 24-tMy5] S. C. GREENHOW.

A YLETT R. WOODSON,

CANDIDATE FOR CITY COLLECTOR, subject to the decision of the primary election of the Conservative party.

FOR CITY COLLECTOR. W. H. (PETER) KEININGHAM,

subject to the decision of the primary election. [ap 20-tMy 5] TOHN F. REGNAULT is a candidate for re-election

TO THE OFFICE OF CITY COLLECTOR. Subject to the decision of the primary election. ap 15-tMy5 FOR COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of COMMISSIONER OF THE REVENUE for the city of Richmond, subject choice of my fellow-citizens at the primary ap 24-tMy5* C. C. JOHNSON

is a candidate for the office of COMMISSIONER OF THE REVENUE, subject to the decision of the primary election.

AT THE SOLICITATION OF MANY friends I announce myself a candidate for MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL

in Marshall Ward, subject to the decision of the primary election.

JAMES F. GUNN. mary election. ap 26-eod3t

MARSHALL WARD. In reply to the call made on me by "Many Voters" to announce myself a candidate for the City Council from Marshall Ward, I beg leave respectfully to say that while I have no longing whatever for public office I yet feel I ought not to decline any public duty or responsibility which my fellow-citizens may desire to confide to my hands. Gratefully appreciating the compliment paid me, I therefore respectfully announce myself a candidate for the CITY COUNCIL from Marshall Ward, subject to the decision of the primary election.

A. BODEKER. primary election. ap 28-cod3t

CLERK OF THE HUSTINGS COURT OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND. To My Fellow-Citizens: I am a candidate for re-election to the office which I have filled for the past six years, subject, however, to a nomination by the Conservative party. I have discharged the duties of the office from my boyhood. The records of the court will speak for themselves.

ap 19-td

ANDREW JINKINS.

FOR CLERK HUSTINGS COURT,

F. P. TURNER,

subject to the decision of the primary election.

ap 19-tMy5 FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTOR-NEY.—I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the above-named office, subject to the dedidate for the above-names didate for the primary election.

JOHN JOHNS, JR. RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE MY-

. SELF a candidate for the office of CLERK OF THE CHANCERY COURT, subject to the will of my fellow-citizens at the Conservative primary election. ap 15-td

JAMES P. WOOD. AM A CANDIDATE FOR THE office of CLERK of Chancery Court of Richmond, subject to the vote of the people at the primary ap 14-tMy 4 TEMPLE ELLETT.

BENJAMIN H. BERRY, for re-election to the office or CLERK OF THE CHANCERY COURT, subject to primary election.

J. TAYLOR STRATTON

CLERK OF THE CHANCERY COURT subject to decision of the Conservative primary K. HENRY

is a candidate for the office of HIGH-CONSTABLE, and respectfully solicits the support of his friends and fellow-citizens at the primary election. RICHMOND, April 21, 1876.

HEREBY ANNOUNCE MYSELF A candidate for the office of HIGH-CONSTABLE, subject to the decision of the primary election. ap 21-codtMy5* E. T. BURCH. FOR HIGH-CONSTABLE, HIRAM W. POWERS,

subject to the decision of the coming primary election; and solicits the support of my fellow-citizens.

[ap 19-td*] A. B. DUESBERRY FOR HIGH-CONSTABLE

subject to decision of Conservative primary election. [ap 19-2w] FOR HIGH-CONSTABLE.

E. HOLZINGER will be voted for at the primary election. [ap 15-td] TO THE VOTERS OF CLAY WARD.

se to the call signed "Many Voters lished in the Dispatch of the 24th instant, I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the CITY COUNCIL from Clay Ward, subject to the decision of the primary election. ap 27-tMy5* JOHN J. KING. PRINTERS, STEREOTYPERS, &c.

D MORGENROTH, PRACTICAL LITHOGRAPHER, ENGRAVEE,
AND PRINTER,
No. 1202 MAIN STREET
(next door to Planters National Bank),
RICHMOND, VA. ap 8-cod3m

SPECIAL NOTICES. VERY VALUABLE BEAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF RICHMOND TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION THIS DAY.—The parties ttention of the public is called to the sa TRULY VALUABLE LOT, 50 by 153 feet to a such figures as will enable them to sell at prices with-

wide alley, on the north side of Main between Seventh and Eighth streets, occupied by Mr. W. H. West, to come off at I o'clock TO-DAY. Also, at 5 o'clock P. M., by Messrs, Cannon and Dooley, commissioners, that VALUABLE LOT with a SMALL BRICK TENEMENT thereon, or

the west line of Eighth between Cary and Canal streets, 25 by 48 feet. For further particulars, see auction head. W. GODDIN, Auctioneer.

SHERRY.-Just received a large lot of SHERRIES, different brands, direct from Spain, from the well known house of Widow de X. Harmony & Co,, and for sale at moderate prices by OSCAR CRANZ,

No. 14 Governor street. THAVANA AND KEY WEST CIGARS always on hand and constantly receiving. Just landed, direct from Havana, a case of ESPA-

NOLA. CABANAS and others daily expected; all of new crop of tobacco. Agent for the FLOR DE ALMA CIGAR. For sale, wholesale and retail, by OSCAR CRANZ,

No. 14 Governor street.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR, HAND-EMBROIDERED and hand-sewed, manufactured in the convents of Paris. Intending to close out this lot of goods we offer them at cost.

Also, a large assortment of UNDERWEAR of donestic manufacture, to be sold at and below cost at LEVY BROTHERS'. HAMBURGH EDGINGS and INSERTINGS very

NEW AND FASHIONABLE DRESS

PRICES LOWER THAN EVER. Great bargains in BLACK, COLORED, PLAID, and

STRIPED SILK at LEVY BROTHERS'. A large assortment of SHETLAND SHAWLS.

REMNANTS of 9-4 and 10-4 UTICA BLEACHED COTTON SHEETING—the best sheet

ing manufactured. We offer these goods much be-LEVY BROTHERS. NOTE-PAPER and ENVELOPES-the cheapest n the city.

BLACK ALPACAS AND MO-HAIRS at greater bargains than ever. Several large lots from auction bought extremely cheap. We give our customers the advantage of our bargains.

LEVY BROTHERS. A few left of those very cheap printed CAMBRIC

HAMBURGH EDGINGS AND IN-SERTINGS-Another large auction lot to be sacri ficed. The best assortment we have ever offered. LEVY BROTHERS. SILK SCARFS and NECK-TIES very cheap.

BOMBAZINES, TAMISE,

AUSTRALIAN CREPE, CREPE VEILS. CREPE COLLARS and CUFFS,

BLACK GLOVES, at LEVY BROTHERS'. Bargains in ONE-, TWO-, and THREE-BUTTON KID GLOVES.

MOURNING HANDKERCHIEFS, and

CORSETS! CORSETS!! COR-SETS!!!-WHITE and COLORED CORSETS in all sizes and qualities from the lowest to the finest manufactures. Some extraordinary bargains will be LEVY BROTHERS. HIGH BACK-COMBS.

PARASOLS AND UMBRELLAS. We now offer a large and well-selected stock of PARASOLS and UMBRELLAS, in all sizes, in silk and cotton, at prices to suit the times.

CACHMIRE LACES in great variety. ap 25 GENTLEMEN'S COLORED-BOR-DERED SILK and LINEN HANDKER-

SUSPENDERS, SOCKS, GLOVES, CRAVATS, BOWS, TIES, LEVY BROTHERS'.

CACHMIRE LACES and TIES. READY-MADE DRESSES FOR LADIES.—Another large lot just received. A large tock to select from, and at prices to suit the purses

LEVY BROTHERS. CACHMIRE LACES and SCARFS. BREEDEN & TALLEY,

NO. 407 BROAD STREET. We have received our SPRING STOCK of DRESS TRIMMINGS, FRINGES, BUTTONS, and FANCY

Our stock of BLACK and COLORED SILK FRINGES is complete; also, a full line of WORSTED FRINGES in all colors. All colors and shades of ZEPHYR WORSTED and GERMANTOWN WOOLS constantly on hand. We have added PARASOLS and UMBRELLAS to our stock, which are beautiful and well-assorted, in pearl, Ivory, ebony, and all the newest handles. We have also a full assortment of LININGS, including CAMBRICS, JEANS, WIGANS, and DRESS-MAKERS' MATERIALS generally. A full line of CORSETS, HOSIERY, GLOVES,

and UNDERWEAR. BUSTLES in great variety. ap 24-eod5t BREEDEN & TALLEY.

W. D. BLAIR & CO., 903 MAIN STREET, (ESTABLISHED 1829.) dealers in LIQUORS, TEAS, CIGARS, and FINE

GROCERIES, offer great inducements to the trade.

DENTISTS. DENTISTRY.

BEWEEN THE HOURS OF 9 A. M. AND 6 P. M.

JUD. B. WOOD, M. D., D. D. S. TOHN MAHONY, DENTIST

(formerly of Wayt & Mahony),

Office, 525 Main street, between Sixth and Seventh.

[oc 1-eod] DR. CHARLES A. MERCER, DENTIST,

Office, 703 Main street, between Seventh and Eighth: mh 25-eod3m HOTELS. METROPOLITAN HOTEL,

BICHMOND, VA.

After this date the charges at this Hotel will be reduced to \$3 per day.
GEORGE B. CAKE, Proprietor.
APBIL 12, 1876. ap 14-1m

SPECIAL NOTICES. THE PEOPLE MUST REJOICE when they hear that the senior partner of COHEN BROTHERS is again in New York attending those large auction sales for the purpose of buying goods at

in reach of all. Among the many bargains they offer are BLACK SILK GRENADINES, in STRIPES, PLAIDS, and CHECKS, at less than half value.

Their stock of DRESS GOODS is the most complete ever offered to the trade. Among them may be found all the latest shades in PLAID BROCADES, TA-MISES, STRIPED, and SOLIDS.

COHEN BROTHERS have just received another lot of those BLACK

ALL-WOOL MOUSELINS, which they are selling a much less than cost of importation. Also, another lot of those BLACK CREPES a

astonishingly low prices. Their stock of WHITE GOODS, including VICTO-RIA LAWNS, SWISS MUSLINS, STRIPED and CHECK MUSLINS, ORGANDIES, LACE STRIPES, INDIA TWILLS, NAINSOOKS, and MULLS, is the cheapest and most complete assort-

ment ever offered in this city. 100 pieces more 4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 WHITE-AND-RED and WHITE MATTING, which they are offering at a great sacrifice.

EFCALL AT COHEN BROTHERS'

for best assortment of

*HAMBURGH EDGINGS. Real VALENCIENNES, GUIPURE, THREAD, and YAK LACES, CORSETS, PARASOLS, and KID GLOVES.

Closed on Saturdays. FOR MAY, 1876. LARGE SUPPLIES NEW AND ELEGANT

FANCY GOODS. T. R. PRICE & CO. have received within a few days many NEW and ELEGANT GOODS. LACE-STRIPED POLONAISE GOODS; BLACK BASKET GRENADINES; FANCY COLORED GRENADINES for overskirts;

Superb assortment STRIPED COLORED SILKS; CALICOES, PERCALES, CAMBRICS, &c.; FURNITURE CRETONNES and 4-4 TWILLED CHINTZ for covering sofas, lounges, curtains, MENEW MOURNING GOODS.

A SPECIALTY WITH THE HOUSE. Mourning goods in TAMISE, BOMBAZINES, CREPE CLOTHS, DELAINES, ALPACAS, MOHAIRS, BOMBAZINE POPLINS, ENGLISH CREPE, CREPE VEILS, KID GLOVES, SILK GLOVES, &c., just received. ap 27 T. R. PRICE & CO.

FOR MAY, 1876. A large and elegant display NEW and STYLISH PARASOLS, UMBRELLAS, and SUN-SHADES for adles, just opened by T. R. PRICE & CO. FOR GENTLEMEN AND BOYS.

NEW DRESS GOODS! NEW DRESS GOODS NEW DRESS GOODS! at SYCLE BROTHERS'.

BLACK AND COLORED SILKS,

A grand display of spring and summer CLOTHS and CASSIMERES just received by ap 27 T. R. PRICE & CO.

a handsome assortment, at SYCLE BROTHERS'. GUIPURE, YAK, VALEN-CIENNES, SPANISH, and CACHMIRE LACES at

READY-MADE SHIRTS at SYCLE BROTHERS'. SYCLE BROTHERS'. LACE SHAWLS AND LACE SACQUES at [ap 25] SYCLE BROTHERS'.

A LARGE STOCK OF CORSETS SYCLE BROTHERS'. HAMBURGH EMBROIDERY in new designs at SYCLE BROTHERS'. ap 25

MATTINGS AND OIL-CLOTHS at SYCLE BROTHERS'. WHITE AND COLORED BED-QUILTS at LACE CURTAINS at reduced prices

large stock of

DRY GOODS. NOTIONS, and WHITE GOODS, to which they call the attention of the trade. ap 25

SYCLE BROTHERS have a very

SYCHE BROTHERS'.

AND EVERY ONE. is receiving daily additions to his extensive stock of DRESS GOODS, BLACK GOODS, CASSIMERES, NOTIONS, &c., which will be sold at the very lowest CASH prices to suit any one. Among the bargains to be had are PLAIN, PLAID, and BROCADED POPLINS, &c.

BLACK and COLORED SILKS,

BLACK GRENADINES, BLACK ALPACAS, CACHMIRES DELAINES, &c. Also, a full line of LACE-STRIPE MUSLINS, PIQUES, BISHOP and VICTORIA LAWNS, SWISS MUSLINS, and lots of other WHITE GOODS; A large stock of LADIES' and CHILDREN'S SILK, SERGE, and GINGHAM PARASOLS, at the SERGE, and GINGHAM PARASOLS, at the very lowest prices;
A large and cheap stock of CASSIMERES, LINENS, and TWEEDS, for men's and boys' wear.
Also, a full line of GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS at low prices. A full stock of SASH-RIBBONS, SILK and LACE SCARFS, CORSETS;
KID GLOVES a specialty; WHITE and STRIPED HOSE, and lots of other goods too numerous to mention.

Country orders solicited and promptly attended so. For cheap goods don't fall to call on WILLIAM THALHIMER, ap 25 601 Broad street.

WARRANTED STRICTLY PURE. This well-known brand of LEAD, manufactured by JOHN T. LEWIS & BROTHER, of Philadel-

ETLEWIS' WHITE LEAD.

Consumers of WHITE LEAD will consult their nterest by using this well-known brand. We keep a stock of this LEAD constantly on hand, and will supply it, with an assortment of PAINT-ERS' COLORS, VARNISHES, LINSEED OIL, BRUSHES, &c., at lowest prices. Orders promptly attended to. PURCELL, LADD & CO.,

1216 Main street, Richmond, Va.

hia, has maintained its reputation as the STAND-

ARD LEAD in the market for over thirty years.

to keep them white, without injuring them, use SAPONINE DENTIFRICE. Price, 50 cents a box. Recommended by our best entists. For SPONGY and SORE GUMS, ULCER-

TO PRESERVE YOUR TEETH and

ATED MOUTH, and DECAYED TEETH, use MEADE CARBOLIC MOUTH-WASH. It thoroughjy disinfects the breath and leaves a refreshing feeling in the mouth. Price, 50 cents a bot-

very pale and dry, and at a reasonable price. WALTER D. BLAIR & CO., 903 Main street. TOBACCO WAREHOUSE.

CHOCKOE WAREHOUSE, RICHMOND, VA.—This favorite and thoroughly-constructed warehouse, under the management of Messrs. W. H. Hennon and W. H. Perkins, inspectors, and John W. Powell, deputy inspector, will be continued in the future, as in the past, a regular INSPECTION-WAREHOUSE, under the appointments of the Governor. The patronage of the public is selicited, and their interests will be protected.

T. G. PEYTON. WASHINGTON, D. Comments T. G. PEYTON, Agent for Proprietors. ap 28-1w

THE GREATEST BARGAINS IN DEESS GOODS can be had at COURTNEY & POWELL'S.

DET GOODS.

they have marked down their FANCY and BLACK SILKS to prices which defy competition; n BLACK ALPACAS and BLACK IBON GRENA DINES they invite attention to some special bar-

ARASOLS at very little more than it cost to manu facture them: ap 29 All COTTONS and SHEETINGS retailed at cas

nother lot of those CHEAP LINEN-BOSOM SHIRTS:

Just received, a handsome stock of READY-MADE LINEN SUITS very cheap. COURTNEY & POWELL. 815 Broad street.

COME ONE! COME ALL!

TO LEVI HEXTER'S. 627 BROAD STREET.

and supply yourselves with some of those beautiful cheap TWO-BUTTON KID GLOVES. SILVER and GILT TINSEL TARLETANS, for May balls and parties; Misses' OPERA-SHADE KID GLOVES, all sizes: Misses' BRAIDED and EMBROIDERED PIQUE and LACE BONNETS; and an endless variety of

CORSETS, FANS, PARASOLS. SASH RIBBONS, TOWELS, NAPKINS, and DRESS GOODS. Also, CASHMERE LACES, TIES, INFANT

BIBBS, and many other goods too numerous to mention, all of which will be sold at the LOWEST CASH MARKET PRICES. Country orders will meet prompt attention. NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

FRESH ARRIVALS THIS WEEK. AWNS of the newest and most desirable styles at very low prices; PARASOLS of all designs in plain, boiled, twilled Silk, and Turkish Serge: An excellent line of WHITE GOODS, embracing

PIQUES, PLAID and STRIPED NAINSOOKS, VICTORIA LAWNS, EMBROIDERIES and LINENS. Also, BLEACHED and BROWN COTTONS the popular brands; BLEACHED and BROWN TABLE LINEN, BLEACHED and BROWN COTTONS of all WINE CLOTH, NAPKINS, FOWELS, HANDKERCHIEFS, etc. I would call special attention to a line LOW-PRICE PRINTS,

CHARLOTTESVILLE WOOLLEN MILLS.

SPRING STYLES, 1876.

CHARLES HUTZLER, 611 Broad street.

N HANDSOME DESIGNS AND SUPERIOR QUALITY For sale by THOMAS R. PRICE & CO., COURTNEY & POWELL

CARDOZO, FOURQUREAN & CO.

Call and examine them.

CARDOZO, FOURQUREAN & CO. SPECIALTIES have in stock and are receiving every novelty of the season as it appears in the New York markets.

> DRESS GOODS of every description and quality; BLACK SILKS, very cheap; COLORED SILKS, beautiful shades: STRIPED SILKS, all qualities;

BLACK GRENADINES, from 35c. to \$2 per yard; SIDE-BAND LAWNS and OR-GANDIES. PARASOLS. Of this goods we have the most at-

tractive stock we have ever offered. LINEN SUITS, PERCALE SUITS, LADIES' ENDERWEAR, NOVELTIES in SCARFS.

PERCALES,

WEEK.

CALICOES-all prices;

LINEN LAWNS-beautiful pat-

. HATS, FURS, MILLINERY &c., READ! READ! READ! FOR TWO WEEKS. to stimulate trade, we will offer from our immense stock of all the latest styles of

HATS AND MILLINERY, LADIES' HATS AND BONNETS at \$6 worth \$8; at GOOD NEWS FOR THE LADIES \$7.50 worth \$9; at \$8 worth \$10. MEN'S, BOYS', and CHILDREN'S SILK HATS at \$5 worth \$6; at \$6 worth \$7; at \$8 worth \$9. And a large variety of STIFF and SOFT HATS. All of the latest and very best styles, at greatly reduced MACMURDO & REDFORD.

1009 Main street, opposite the post-office. CARPETS, RUGS, MATS, &c. GEORGE W. ANDERSON & SON,

1204 MAIN STREET. below the Dispatch office, have an unusually large and well-selected SPRING STOCK of MATTINGS, CARPETS, PAPER-HANGINGS, WINDOW-SHADES, LACE CURTAINS, OIL-CLOTHS, &c., &c., of all grades, sizes, and prices. Our stock has been selected with great care, at the lowest prices, and we ask an inspection from all in want. ap 25-3m

SPRING

R. P. RICHARDSON & CO.,

NO. 901, CORNER NINTH AND MIAN STREETS, have opened their spring supply of MATTINGS in every variety and width; FLOOR and TABLE Off-CLOTHS, LACE CURTAINS, and SHADES. CRETONES, SATTEENS, PRINTS, and LIN-ENS for furniture coverings. Largest stock of VELVET, BRUSSELS, and TA-PESTY RUGS and DOOR-MATS in the city. PHILLIPS & JENNINGS.—We have just received our SPRING STOCK of CHINA MATTINGS of all grades; COCOA MATTINGS, CARPETS, OIL-CLOTHS, SHADES, HOLLANDS, BUGS, MATS, &c., CORNICES of different styles. LACE and DAMASK CURTAINS.
PAPER-HANGING of all grades.
Work done in town or, country.

Work done in town or country.
All orders promptly attended to.
No. 22. corner Governor and Franklin streets,
ap 8
Richmond Va. WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c. DIAMONDS, WATCHES, AND JEWELRY.—The undersigned most respectfully announces to the public that he has say a great many FORFEITED PLEDGES left out from the sale of the 5th instant, consisting of Laboratory of the sale of the 5th instant, consisting of Laboratory of the STRING GOLD WATCHES from \$35 up; handsome SOLID GOLD WATCHES from \$35 up; handsome SOLID GOLD VEST. CHAINS from \$20 up; fine SOLID GOLD VEST. CHAINS: fine GOLD GUARD—and CHAITE LAINE-CHAINS; 150 fine SOLID GOLD SETTINGS from \$3 up; fine SULTAIRE and \$-7.0 med solid mountings; one pair SOLITAIRE DIAMOND gold mountings; one pair SOLITAIRE DIAMOND watches will be found some of the best quality and of well-known makers, in heavy 18-karaf gold cases. A call from those in want of such articles cases. A call from those in want of such articles cases.

SUMMER RETREAT.

THE SCHUETZEN PARK. This delightful summer retreat situated below Rocketts, on the James river, will be opened for its accommodation of visitors on MONDAY, May 1st Its location is an admirable one, and arrangements

"DUFF GORDON" SHERRY, where. ap 7-1m

here for less than the cost of inferior quality cive here for less than the cost of inferior quality cive where.

S. A. WINSTOCK.

17 Fourteenth street.